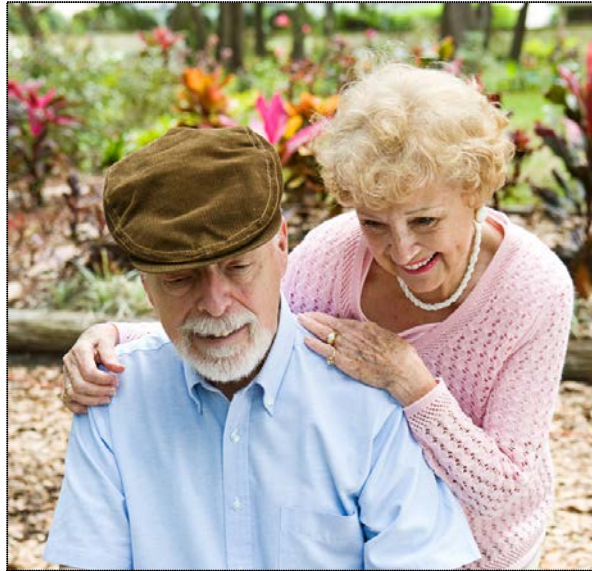


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A.A.R.P. (American Association of Retired Persons) (7/11)

The goal of the A.A.R.P. is to enhance independence, dignity and purpose for older persons and to be a leader in determining their role in society. Motto: "To serve, not to be served". Website: www.aarp.org

Adult Day Centers (7/11)

Angels on Main Adult Day Care – 922 Main Street, Elk River, MN 55330 - PHONE: (763) 241-6845. Open Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. WEBSITE: www.guardianangelsmn.org

Buffalo Adult Day Center – 613 Montrose Blvd S., Buffalo MN 55313 - CONTACT: Mary Rodeski - PHONE: (763) 684-0803 - WEBSITE: www.elimcare.org – Buffalo Adult Day Center is a health care service offering personal care, socialization and supervision for seniors or handicapped adults who need some help in caring for themselves, yet do not need the 24 hour care of a nursing home. In addition to helping seniors or handicapped adults, this service can provide a respite to family caregivers.

Cokato Manor Senior Day Program - 182 Sunset Avenue, Cokato MN 55321 – PHONE: (320) 286-2158 – WEBSITE: www.cokato-senior-care.org – Cokato Manor has an adult day care program for individuals 55 years and older. The program is a community-based program to provide services and activities enabling functionally impaired individuals to remain in their home and community longer. The program also provides respite to caregivers. Senior Day Services are open Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., excluding holidays. You may participate from one to five days a week or for full or half days.

Sojourn Adult Day Center – 4497 Shoreline Drive, Spring Park, MN 55384 – PHONE: (952) 471-6080

Adult or Continuing Education (8/11)

County Extension Office – 10 2nd Street NW, Room C107, Buffalo MN 55313 – PHONE: (763) 682-7394 or 1-800-362-3667, ext. 7394 – WEBSITE: www.co.wright.mn.us - County Extension Services provide educational opportunities in a variety of areas including agriculture, home economics, youth development and community resource development. Opportunities include classes, workshops, seminars, tours and mass media. For more information, call numbers listed above.

Contact Your Local School - Many schools provide educational opportunities geared especially toward senior citizens - Contact Community Education –

Annandale – PHONE: (320) 274-3058 – EMAIL: jsommers@annandale.k12.mn.us

Buffalo – PHONE: (763) 682-8751 - EMAIL: kcarlson@buffalo.k12.mn.us

Cokato – PHONE: (320) 286-4120

Delano – PHONE: (763) 972-6210 – WEBSITE: www.delanocommunityed.com

Howard Lake/Waverly – PHONE: (320) 543-3600

Maple Lake – PHONE: (320) 963-5991

Monticello – PHONE: (763) 272-2030

Rockford – PHONE: (763) 477-4563 – EMAIL: larsonc@rockford.k12.mn.us

St. Michael/Albertville – PHONE: (763) 497-6550 - WEBSITE: www.stmacommunityed.com

North Hennepin Junior College - Branch Campus in Buffalo – PHONE: (763) 424-0730 – EMAIL: adultlearning@nhcc.edu Seniors citizens can monitor the class for \$6.00 a credit.

Adult Foster Care (7/11)

Adult foster care is an alternative housing option for seniors, allowing seniors to remain in a community setting. Services may include: lodging, food, protection, supervision, household services, community recreation and other events, living skills assistance, transportation, assistance safeguarding cash resources, medication assistance and other community, social and health services. Adult foster care homes in Wright County are licensed by Wright County Human Services Agency and meet licensing standards issued by the State of Minnesota. An adult foster care home may be a corporate home or family home setting. Funding options for adult foster care include: County, State or private payment. For more information – CONTACT: Nesa Black, Wright County Human Services – PHONE: (763) 682-7489 or 1-800-362-3667, ext. 7489 – EMAIL: Nesa.Black@co.wright.mn.us

Advocacy – Wright County (7/11)

The Senior Advocate Program works with people who are 60+ in Wright County. Services they provide: health insurance assistance and volunteer help. For more information call the Senior LinkAge Line – PHONE: (320) 253-9349 or 1-800-333-2433 – WEBSITE: www.cmcoa.org

Anniversary & Birthdays (7/11)

The President will send a birthday card to people age 80 and over or veterans age 70 or older. The President will also send cards for those with a 50th and up wedding anniversary. Condolence and get well wishes may also be requested. Mail your request to: White House Greeting Office, 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington D.C. 20500. Request must be sent at least 6 weeks before the occasion. WEBSITE: www.whitehouse.gov

Assisted Living (7/11)

See “Housing”

Caregiver Coach Service – Wright County (8/11)

Faith in Action – Greater Sherburne County, 13074 Edgewood Street, Becker MN 55308 – CONTACT: Mary Wilson or Heidi Olson, Caregiver Coaches - PHONE: (763) 263-4277 – What is a Caregiver Coach? A coach can help you manage and live your life while caring for another person. Your coach will meet with you and talk about your caregiving situation. Your coach will help you recognize issues of concern and assist you to identify strategies and solutions to address those issues. Examples include – involving other family members in providing care, receiving education on chronic illness or conditions, and learning how to take time for yourself. Your coach will follow up with you by phone, in person or email to offer support and direction as needed. If you are interested in finding a Caregiver Coach in your area, please call the contacts listed above.

Central Minnesota Council on Aging (8/11)

1301 West St. Germain St., Suite 101, St. Cloud MN 56301-3456 – PHONE: (320) 253-9349 or 1-800-333-2433 – FAX: (320) 253-9576 – EMAIL: Lori@cmcoa.org – WEBSITE: www.cmcoa.org - Title III of the Older American’s Act of 1965 authorized the designation of area agencies on aging. Area agencies are charged

with the responsibility of preparing a plan oriented at developing a system of comprehensive and coordinated services for the older person in their designated planning and service areas. Wright, Sherburne, Stearns and Benton Counties comprise the 7-W area. Senior LinkAge is a statewide program and consists of a toll free information and assistance telephone line for seniors and caregivers to call when they are looking for information on services available to seniors in their community and how to access those services. Central MN Council on Aging assists all callers from Stearns, Benton, Sherburne, Cass, Crow Wing, Morrison, Todd and Wadena counties. The RXConnect service of Senior LinkAge, connects people of all ages with programs that are available to assist in paying for their medication costs. Health insurance counseling is available to people to assist them in understanding health insurance related issues such as: Medicare bills, supplemental insurance options, Long Term Care insurance, Medicare appeals, etc. The Senior Advocate service is an extension of the Senior LinkAge phone service. Senior Advocates are available to assist people in completing necessary paperwork in order to apply for financial assistance programs and/or prescription drug assistance programs. They are also available to meet face-to-face with a senior and their family members to discuss options available to them and help them get connected with the services that may meet their needs. For more information on Senior LinkAge or any of the services of the program, please call the contacts listed

Church Services to the Elderly (7/11)

Contact your local church.

Counseling (8/11)

Central Minnesota Mental Health Center - Buffalo - 308 12th Avenue S., Buffalo MN 55313 – PHONE: (763) 682-4400 - St. Cloud – 1321 N 13th Street, St. Cloud MN 56303 – PHONE: (320) 252-5010 – WEBSITE: www.cmmhc.org – They offer a variety of counseling services to people of any age group.

Caritas Family Services – 911 18th St. N., St. Cloud MN 56302– PHONE: (320) 650-1550 or 1-800-830-8254 – WEBSITE: www.ccstcloud.org - They provide individual, marriage, family, financial counseling and adoption.

Wright County Human Services – Human Services Center, 1004 Commercial Drive, MN 55313 – PHONE: (763) 682-7400 or 1-800-362-3667, ext. 7400.

Courage Center (8/11)

Courage Center, Attention: Camping Department, 3915 Golden Valley Road, Golden Valley MN 55422
PHONE: (763) 588-0811 or 1-888-846-8253, (Main Office), (763) 520-0504 (Wright County), or (218) 266-3658 (Hubbard County)

WEBSITE: www.couragecenter.org

Courage Center has two camps: one in Hubbard County (Lake George) and one in Wright County (Maple Lake), and are for individuals from age 7 through adult. The speech camps are for children with speech and language impairments.

Dental Care (11/11)

The Smile Center, 1790 7th St E, St. Paul MN 55119
PHONE: (651) 735-0595 or Toll Free – (866) 662-7874
WEBSITE: www.smilecenterus.com

Quality custom dentures in a day, call for details, same day emergency care. Open seven days a week, M-F – 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sat-Sun – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Other locations: Savage and Deerwood MN. *Minnesota Care, Medical Assistance accepted.

Dental Center of America (11/11)

1521 Northway Drive, Suite 102, St. Cloud, MN 56303
PHONE: (320) 229-2205
WEBSITE: www.dentalcenterofamerica.com

HOURS: Monday – Friday – 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., Saturday – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Sunday – by appt. Immediate appointments, same day emergency care, dentistry for the whole family. All insurances are welcome. Medical Assistance and Minnesota Care accepted, payment plans for co-pays and people with no insurance.

Drug Program (8/11)

See “Central Minnesota Council on Aging”.

Employment (8/11)

Central Minnesota Jobs and Training, 406 E. 7th St. E., Monticello MN 55362
PHONE: (763) 271-3700 or Toll Free: 1-800-284-7425
WEBSITE: www.cmjts.org

This program is for 55 years or older and must be income eligible.

Functional Industries, 1801 Highway 25 North, P.O. Box 336, Buffalo MN 55313
PHONE: (763) 682-4336
EMAIL: info@functionalindustries.org
WEBSITE: www.functionalindustries.org

Functional Industries, 200 Century Avenue, P.O. Box 9, Cokato, MN 55321
PHONE: (320) 286-5377
WEBSITE: www.functionalindustries.org

Faith in Action (8/11)

Faith in Action of Wright County, P.O. Box 613, Buffalo MN 55313
CONTACT: Program Director
PHONE: (763) 234-3586
EMAIL: servantfia@earthlink.net
WEBSITE: www.faithinactionwc.com

Faith in Action is a coalition of congregations, community organizations and social agencies dedicated to helping people maintain their independence by providing assistance with their every day activities. They help with: transportation, grocery shopping assistance, respite, light household chores and yard work, friendly visiting and telephone reassurance. For more information, contact Allison at above number.

Faith in Action of Sherburne County, 13074 Edgewood Street, Becker MN 55308

PHONE: (763) 263-4277

WEBSITE: www.gra-fia.com

Fare for All (11/11)

Fare for All, 2472 20th Street SE, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Barb (763) 682-4864

WEBSITE: www.emergencyfoodshelf.org

A non-profit self-help program “where you can help your community and save 60% on food too!” You pay \$22 and do 2 hours of community work. Several choices of food packages are available. Volunteer hours also available.

Financial Assistance (8/11)

Food support and Medical Health Care guidelines are constantly changing. Health Care is a program where individuals receive assistance in paying medical bills such as: dentures, pills and other medically related expenses. An application for Food Support and Health Care needs can be picked up at the Wright County Human Services Agency. For more information, call (763) 682-7414 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, ext. 7414. Website: www.co.wright.mn.us

Food Shelves/Clothing Centers (9/11)

***ANNANDALE (09-11)**

- Local Churches Coordinate the Program. The food shelf is located in the Midtown Plaza, intersection of Cherry Ave. and Highway 55, (across from Am-Pride) Annandale, MN 55302.
- Mailing address is **P.O. Box 94**, Annandale. Website: annandalefoodshelf.org
- Hours are Monday 4 - 6 p.m., Wednesday evening 5 - 7 p.m., and Friday 8:30 - 11 a.m. (come early).
- Phone: 320-274-FOOD (3663). **Emergency calls only**, 320-274-7155, Jean & Ed Skomoroh, Coordinator.
- Served up to 6 times per year or as necessary.
- Available to **Annandale, Maple Lake, South Haven, and Silver Creek -in Annandale School district** residents in need of emergency food.
- ***We Care We Share** - This is a free store in Annandale open to anyone in need 320-274-8881. They have mainly clothes, some household items, and may be able to get other items, for people in need. Clients need no ID; just come in and take what they need. It is located on the corner of Highway 55 and Cherry Ave. in Annandale by the food shelf. Hours are Tuesday 3 - 5 p.m., Wednesday 5 - 7 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. FREE will offering is asked.

BUFFALO (09-11)

- Located in 301 12th Ave So, Buffalo, MN (3 blocks East of Super America.)
- Mailing Address: PO Box 222, Buffalo, MN. Web site: www.buffalofoodshelf.com
- Friday 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Tuesday 5:30 - 8 p.m. & Thursday evening 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
- Call 763-684-1699 (leave message and they will return phone call).
- Serving those that reside in the 55313 zip code area in need of food. Address verification required, dated in the last 30 days.

CLEARWATER - CLEAR LAKE (09-11)

- Clearwater Lions'/Lioness' Community Building, East Hwy 75 - come to fill out application.
- Mailing Address: P.O. Box 324, Clearwater, MN 55320.
- Open every Monday 5:30-7p.m., Tuesdays 9-11 a.m. and 6-8p.m., Wed. 3-5 p.m.
- Emergency Help: Call 320-558-2954 to leave name and phone number. Your call will be returned.
- Available to Clearwater and Clear Lake area residents in need of food. Come in and fill out application. Bring picture ID and proof of residence.

***COKATO – Dassel Area (10-08)**

- Located at 395 Broadway South, Cokato, MN 55321. The Cokato Area Food Shelf is available for residents in the Dassel/Cokato area. To sign up, they need to call Elim Mission Church at 320-286-2662 Monday through Thursday. Pick up is Friday morning at 9:30. The church office is open 9:00 am-3:00pm. Monday-Thursday, but they must call by Thursday at noon to sign up for that Friday's pick up. It's for emergency use only and proof of residence and children's birth certificates may be required. Use is limited to monthly, with six uses total, after which they are required to meet with one of the area pastors before receiving more help. Save & Share Thrift Shop – Hours: Thursday 1 - 7 p.m., Friday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. These shop hours are for BOTH donation drop off and shopping. Located at 511 Cokato St. W. (behind the Grounds). (There is a donation asked for items, yet at a reduced price). If you have donation of larger quantity of items call (320) 286-5895 to make an appointment.

DELANO (1-08)

- The Delano Helping Hands Food shelf is now open Thursday from 2 - 4 p.m. and one evening per month, the 3rd Thursday, from 5 - 7 p.m.
- The food shelf is located at 140 Elm Avenue (the former Community Ed Building).
- Mailing address: P.O. Box 122, Delano, MN 55328.
- Volunteers from churches will staff the shelf.
- Call Sandy at 763-972-3723 or Jeanie at 763-972-3360.
- People will be serviced once a month.
- Available for all Delano area residents in need of emergency food.

LOVE, INC -□

***ELK RIVER (09-11)**

- Through CAER - a helping hand agency. 19279 Watson St. Elk River, MN 55330.
- Hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., Monday and Thursday 6 - 8 p.m. On ALL days, MUST arrive 1 hour before closing IF food is needed.
- Call 763-441-1020. FAX 763-441-1377. Web site: www.caerfoodshelf.org

- Available to Wright County Residents if they have an Elk River/Otsego address and are in need of emergency food. Address verification required, dated in the last 30 days.

HANOVER (09-11)

- The Hanover area food shelf is open to anyone in the Hanover area. The food shelf operates from St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 11024 Church St. N.E., Hanover, MN 55341 and is open: 1st and 3rd Monday's of the month - 5 - 7 p.m., Tuesday – 12 noon - 2 p.m., Wednesday - 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., and Friday 12 noon - 2 p.m.
- Call, or 763-498-8311 - FAX 763-498-7558. Web site: <http://www.stpaulsinhanover.org/food.htm>
- Available to residents in Albertville, part of Corcoran, Hanover, Loretto, and St. Michael areas only and in need of emergency food.

***MONTICELLO (09-11)**

- THROUGH CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICES - the emergency food shelf is located at 215 Cedar (Old Fire Hall) in Monticello. Mailing address is P.O. Box 1220, Monticello, MN.
- This is done by appointment. You must call 763-295-4031.
- Open: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday evenings 6 - 7:30 p.m.
- Will look at every situation.
- Food shelf available to Monticello and Silver Creek that are in Monticello School Area residents only and if in need of emergency food.
- Clothing Center Hours: Building 213 Cedar Street (next door to food shelf), Call 763-295-4031. Hours: Monday and Friday 9:30-11:30am, Tuesday & Thursday 1-3 p.m., Wednesday evening 5:30-7:30pm, and Saturday 9 a.m.-12 noon.
- Food shelf clients receive voucher for free clothing at clothing center, other may shop for \$3.00 per bag or \$.50 per item. Clothing for emergency or disaster relief will be provided free.

***ROCKFORD (09-11)**

- THROUGH RIVERWORKS – Riverworks Food Shelf is located at 8230 Cedar Street in Rockford.
- Phone: 763-477-6098, website: www.riverworksonline.org
- Hours of operation are; Monday, 5:30pm to 8:00pm, Tuesday, 9:00am to 11:00am, Thursday, 5:30pm to 8:00pm.
- 3rd Wednesday is Senior Day, 9:00am to 11:00am.
- Serving the Rockford/Greenfield area.
- Donations are accepted on Monday and Thursday after 4:30pm

***WAVERLY (09-11)**

- Through Wright Community Action Agency.
- Located in Community Action Building, 5th St. and Elm Ave. Waverly, MN 55390.
- Mailing address: P.O. Box 787, Maple Lake, MN 55358.
- Contact person: Shirley Legatt 763-658-4414.
- On emergency basis - 3 days supply - 3 meals a day.
- Eligible 3 - 4 times a year depending on circumstances.
- Hours: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 8 – 11:30 a.m.
- Main Office is in Maple Lake, PO Box 787 - Phone: 320-963-6500 - Shirley Legatt.

- Available to Howard Lake, Montrose, and Waverly area. Others towns may be served depending on individual situation.
- Clothing* - Building 5th St. and Elm Ave. Waverly, MN - Call 763-658-4414.
- Hours: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 8 a.m. - 12 noon.

(Food amounts given away depend on what is available at the FOOD SHELVES, and how often per year depends on the situation.)

- Have clothing or other items and open to ANYONE.

Foster Grandparent Program (8/11)

Foster Grandparent Program, Lutheran Social Services, 590 Park St, Suite 406, St. Paul MN 55103

CONTACT: Kate Neuhaus

PHONE: (651) 310-9447 or Toll Free 1-888-205-3770

EMAIL: kate.neuhaus@lssmn.com

WEBSITE: www.mnseniorcorps.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: The Foster Grandparent Program is for persons 60 and over able to volunteer 10-20 hours per week with special needs children. Income eligible seniors receive a tax free stipend, transportation reimbursement, daily meal, annual physicals and other benefits. They volunteer in community settings that serve special needs children, infant to 21 years of age, building one-to-one relationships. If interested, contact Kate Neuhaus at number above. Foster grandparents are needed.

Friendly Visiting (7/11)

See your local area churches for this service or see "Faith in Action" in this booklet.

Handicapped Parking Certificates and Plates (8/11)

Wright County License Bureau, Government Center, Buffalo MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-7597 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7597

WEBSITE: www.dps.state.mn.us/dvs/index.html

SERVICES PROVIDED: Contact above numbers for an application. The application fee is \$5.00 (up to 12 months and if this is long-term, no fee.) Application must be mailed to the MN Department of Public Safety in St. Paul, MN. (NOTE: When applying you will receive a temporary card until the original one comes in the mail at a later date.)

Health Assessment/Service and Treatment (7/11)

Wright County Human Services Agency, 1004 Commercial Drive, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Sheri Jorgensen

PHONE: (763) 682-7468 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7486

EMAIL: Sheri.Jorgensen@co.wright.mn.us

Blood Pressure Screening – Screenings are offered at many senior citizen centers monthly. For more information, call your senior citizen center president or if not a member, call Wright County Public

Health at (763) 682-7456 or 1-800-682-7456 for more information on this service offered through the WOW Van and the 60+ Healthy Clinics held monthly.

Health Assessment and Care Coordination. Information and resource information is provided for County residents. PHNs screen and coordinate community services with senior county residents. These services include the following: Help residents stay in their homes, give support to caregivers, refer to community resources, assess for PCA (personal care assistant services), and promote healthy lifestyle for seniors.

Public Health Services – Assessments to determine home and community needs are available through Public Health. The Public Health Nurses work with area hospitals and nursing homes to provide coordinated discharge planning between these institutions and your home. For more information, contact Wright County Human Services at (763) 682-7468 or 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7486 or EMAIL: Sheri.Jorgensen@co.wright.mn.us

60+ and Healthy Clinics. Wright County Public Health provides foot care, education, and blood pressure checks for seniors, age 60+. Nine sites are visited throughout Wright County. The 60+ and Healthy Clinics charge a \$15 fee for foot care services. This fee is necessary because these clinics are no longer being funded by grant money. However, if unable to pay the \$15 fee, seniors will not be turned away from the clinic. For more information, please ask clinic staff or call Wright County Public Health at 1-800-362-3667 or 763-682-7456.

WOW Van - The Wright County Public Health WOW (Wellness on Wheels) Program delivers, through its special mobile unit, a variety of health care activities to the community. The WOW Program provides immunizations, health and wellness screenings, education and community resource information for all ages. Wright County Public Health has the WOW Van out 17 times per month in 15 Wright County communities and at special events. For a schedule of WOW Van stops, call Rosemary, Public Health Case Aide at (763) 682-7717 or 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7717. EMAIL: Rosemary.Prudhomme@co.wright.mn.us

Home Health Care Agencies (7/11)

The agencies and providers on this list either currently provide services or have provided services in the past to Wright County residents. Their appearance on this list does not imply endorsement by Wright County Public Health, nor does Wright County Public Health guarantee the safety and effectiveness of the services provided. These providers are licensed by the State of Minnesota. If you do have questions regarding quality of service issues, you may wish to contact the Minnesota Office of Health Facilities Complaints at 1-800-369-7994.

****Contracted Agencies Medica Contract**

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
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Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
Accukare, Inc. 1061 Woody Lane NW, Coon Rapids 55443 Karla Adams, RN 763-862-3971 Fax 763-862-2135 Emergency Staffing 763-458-1926 info@accukare.com	PCA, Homemaker	no	no	242814800
Alliance Health Care 2260 Cliff Rd., Eagan, MN 55122 Intake Nurse 651-895-8030/800-548-0980 Fax 651-895-8070 gaylee@alliancehealthcare.com	SNV, LPN, HHA, PCA, HMKR, COMP	PCA to doctor appointments	yes	276545400/1902997851 MEDICA CONTRACT Medicare certified
**All Temporaries, Inc. DBA ALL HOME CARING 304 Brighton Ave., Buffalo, MN 55313 763-235-2207 Fax 763-235-2220 Deb Hackenmueller debhactrans@yahoo.com 3638 Center Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55418 612-378-1474 Fax 612-378-1570 Jackie jackie@allhomecaring.com	SNV, HHA. OT, PT, Speech, HMKR, PCA, Respite, IV Therapy, PDN, Live-In	Yes with MA, PMAP MA, Private Pay-also have Clinic Cab	yes & also may accompany on public transport	412756100/1700928918 Medicare certified
Arise Ventures Inc. Jay Vachal & Paula Muggli 2907 Clearwater Road, St. Cloud, MN 56301 1-320-230-6348 www.arisecares.com	PCA, Supervision, Homemaking MEDICA CONTRACT	Yes within community	Yes within community	No MA#/1831192731
**Augustana Home Care and Hospice 218 N. Holcombe, Litchfield, MN 55355 Bonnie Allrich, Clinical Director 320-693-7367 Fax 320-693-7418	SNV, HHA, HMKR, PT, OT, Speech	no	yes	Homecare-113255500/1497821425 Hospice-350027600/1376682781 Medicare certified
Barnabus Personal Care Services, Inc. 223 Washington St., Brainerd, MN 56401 Bobby Debros, RN 218-829-0901/800-434-7225 Fax 218-829-4470	PCA, HMKR, Respite, Live-in, SNV, PT, OT, PDN	no	yes	144825100/1558344168 MEDICA CONTRACT Medicare certified

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
**Caregivers Network 10709 Wayzata Blvd., Suite 121 Minnetonka, MN 55305-5149 Lauraine O'Malley, Own/Stacy Boatman, RN 952-935-5581 Fax 952-935-5920 cgntwork@aol.com	PCA PDN, RN (HIGH TECH), LPN, HHA	no	no	633355900/1780706366 Medicare certified
Children's Home Care and Hospice 2525 Chicago Ave. So., Mpls, MN 55404 Intake Nurse, 1-800-327-3721 Fax 612-813-6358 liz.leighton@childrensho.org	RN, SN, Pediatric Hospice	no	no	NPI# 1831298702 Medicare certified
**Cokato Manor Home Care 600 3 rd St. E, Cokato, MN 55321 Nancy Deiter, RN 320-286-3049 Fax 320-286-2307 cmhh@ll.net	SNV, HHA, Hmkr, PCA, OT, PT, Speech & Adult Day Care	no	yes	249075700/1407887953 Medicare certified
Comfort Keepers 50 10 th Ave S., Waite Park, MN 56387 320-230-9939, 763-295-8644, 888-230-1336 Sam & Sue Thorson www.COMFORTKEEPERS.COM	MA/Waivered Services, HMKR, PCA, PDN, Respite, Private Pay-HMKR, Companion, HHA, SNV, 24 hr. care, emergency Response System	Incidental transportation	yes	532449100/1508050451 MEDICA CONTRACT
**DMT Home Health Service, LLC Host county Sherburne P.O. Box 187, Becker, MN 55308 (use this for mail) 13912 1 st St. , Becker, MN 55308 Johna Nelson, President/Owner Deb Flick, Lead Case Manager 763-856-3051 Fax 763-856-3056 dmthomehealth@yahoo.com	Ext PDN, RN LPN, Ext PCA, Hmkr, Companion, Respite, Nutrition, Family Counseling/Training, Caregiver Training	yes	yes	009042500/M009042500 PDN 39860800/1831313451 MEDICA CONTRACT

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
Edelweiss Home Health Care, Inc. 7014 E. Fish Lake Rd., Maple Grove, MN 55311 763-315-1050 FAX 763-315-1090 Edel Austin, RN, Pres/Admin Cell 612-703-2689 edela@edelhomecare.com or www.edelhomecare.com	Family Counseling/Training, Physician Services, PDN, Nutrition, Caregiver Training, Ext PDN	no	no	NPI 1316956964
Elena's Care, Inc. 4380 Chatsworth St., Shoreview, MN 55126 Joan Vaughn 612-790-8770	SN, PDN	no	no	437664100/1548358518
Fairview Home Care & Hospice Host county Mille Lacs 2450 26 th Ave. So., Mpls., MN 55406 Central Intake 612-728-2468 Fax 612-728-2481 110 6 th Ave. So., Princeton, MN 55371 1-800-570-6650 Fax 763-389-7000	Hospice, Homecare, HHA, Hmkr, SN, & Extended Hours	no	yes	473555200/1215916903 Medicare certified
Guardian Angels/Elim Home Care 1 Division St. E, Buffalo, MN 55313 Deb Klein 763-682-6763 Fax 763-682-4282 Lynn Brabee, LSW for <u>Hospice/Elk River</u> 400 Evans Ave., Elk River, MN 553350 763-241-0654/800-300-4357 Sandy Baret, Coordinator for <u>Hospice in Buffalo</u> 300 Catlin St., Suite 115, Buffalo, MN 55313 763-682-2726 400 Evans Ave., Elk River, MN 55330 Linda Olson, Director 763-241-0654/800-300-4357 Fax 763-241-0274	SNV, HHA, Hmkr, PT, OT, Speech Hospice in Buffalo, Elk River, Otsego. St. Michael, Albertville, Monticello SNV, HHA, Hmkr	no no	yes yes	704055500/1417988429 Medicare certified

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
HealthNorth, Inc. 56 So. 33 rd Ave, Suite 233, St. Cloud, MN 56301 Jay A. Johnson 320-260-5280 Fax 320-654-1668 jay@healthnorthinc.com or www.healthnorthinc.com	SNV, PCA, Live-in Cargivers, Companions, Hmkr	No	no	236948600/A236948600 MEDICA CONTRACT
Heartland Home Health Care & Hospice 605 Franklin Ave. NE, St. Cloud, MN 56303 Jane Wolf 320-654-1136 or 1-877-249-3326	Medicare Only, HHA, PT, OT, SN, Hospice, Bereavement	yes, client's car	yes, if client/pay source pays mileage	Home Care-243657400/1053364976 Hospice NPI#1437196441
**Heritage Home Health 152 Norman Ave. So., Foley, MN 56329 Jeanne Burma 320-968-7117 Fax 320-968-7316	HHA, Hmkr	case by case basis	yes, groceries, laundry mat	562355300/1588744643 MEDICA CONTRACT Medicare certified
HomeInstead Senior Care 510 3 rd St. No., Waite Park, MN 56387 Carla Brunn 320-258-3055 Fax 320-656-5229 carla_brunn@msn.com 8960 Spring Brook Dr. NW, Suite #200 Coon Rapids, MN 55433 763-792-0041 Larual Kenney, lkenney19@hotmail.com Cell 763-442-6553 Fax 763-792-0043	Companion (personal, sleep over, live-in), Home Helper (personal, sleep over, live-in), meals, light housekeeping, laundry, Non-medical assistance	yes, client's car, if provider's car .40 mile	yes	680980400/A680980400 MEDICA CONTRACT
**Intrepid USA 5353 Wayzata Blvd., Suite 300, St. Louis Park, MN 55416 Cindy Walker, Jan Daly Homemaking, Kim Stolzrczyk 763-544-0315 Fax 763-544-9406 2770 Cleveland Ave. No., Roseville, MN 55113 Sheila Osborn 651-636-4663 Fax same	SNV, HHA, PCA, Hmkr, OT, PT	no, unless contracted, then client care	no	851755000/1528040169 Medicare certified

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
Liberty Health Care, Inc. 6418 Bass Lake Road, Ste 4 Crystal, MN 55428 763-535-6825, FAX: 763-535-4568 Email: info@libertyhealthcaremn.com	PCA, SNV, HHA	No	No	NPI# 1245479690
Med Alliance Home Health & Adult Foster Care 309 Cotton Wood Ave. NE, St. Michael, MN 55376 Solomon Wesseh, RN, MSN, MBA 763-497-2216 Cell 763-412-8264/763-442-2846 Medalliance@wmconnect.com	SNV, Case Mgmt., PDN, HHA, Hskp., Companion, Intravenous Therapy/Access/Mgmt. Venipuncture, Chronic Disease Management	No, will make arrangements for client	No	NPI# !480044300
Meridian Services Central Office 44 North 28 th Ave., Suite D, St. Cloud MN 56303 Jill Cihlar, LSW, Service Coordinator cell 612-239-6928 jcihlar@meridiansvs.com 320-255-5151 ext. 1101 Fax 320-202-9471 Metropolitan Office 9400 Golden Valley Road, Golden Valley, MN 55427 763-450-5000 Fax 763-450-5015	Service Coordination & Direct Service that includes HHA services	yes	yes	472013000/A472013000 not Medicare certified
**My Brother's Keeper 135 So. Holmes St., Shakopee, MN 55379-8821 Gay Deleeuw 952-496-0157 Fax 952-496-0183 mbk@integraonline.com	PCA, Waivered Services, PCPO, Dr. orders 1x year	yes	yes, if employee chooses	876345300/A876345300 MEDICA CONTRACT
Nightingale Home Healthcare, Inc. 8085 Wayzata Blvd., #215, Golden Valley, MN 55426 Monica Palmer 763-545-3131 or 1-866-334-7776 Fax 763-546-1191 www.HomeCareForYou.com	RN, LPN, PT. OT, Speech Therapy, Medical Social Services, HHA, Homemaker, Companions, Daily Home, Monitoring, Anodyne Therapy	yes	Yes	073425000/1356332803 Medicare certified

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
North Memorial Home Health/Hospice 3500 France Ave. No., Suite 101 Robbinsdale, MN 55422 763-520-3917 Bobby or Tinelle Fax 763-520-3997	SNV, HHA, OT, PT, Speech, Hmkr, Wound Care, Infusion Therapy, MH	no	yes, employee car	982817600/1336162312 Medicare certified
**North Country Home Care II, Inc. Host county Sherburne 12657 5 th Ave. No., Suite 100, Zimmerman, MN 55398 Val Anderson, RN, Owner Judy Cliché, Acct. Mgr. Owner 763-856-9955 FAX 763-856-9956 Buffalo clients call Brenda 763-682-6030	PCA/PCA Choice, Homemaking	Yes	Yes	203178700/1174723746 MEDICA CONTRACT
**Prairie River Home Care, Inc. Main Office at 4432 Hwy. 25 SE, P.O. Box 609 Buffalo, MN 55313 763-682-0665 Fax 763-682-6543 Judy Figge, CEO, same address as above 21308 John Milless Drive, Suite 202, Rogers, MN 55374 763-428-3510 fax 763-428-3512 Barb Volner, GM, Barbv@prhomecare.com Tammy Omato, Serv. Mgr. tammy.omato@prhomecare.com 246 Main St. So., Hutchinson, MN 55350 Linda Schneider, GM 320-587-5162 Fax 320-234-7950	RN, LPN, HHA, PCA, PT, OT, Speech, IV Therapy, Wound Mgmt., Ventiliator Assistance, Companions, Hmkr.	yes, client's care	yes	855224000/1063420198 Medicare certified
Pride N' Living Home Care, Inc. Celestina Waindim, RN, Debra Rimpson, Asst. Mgr. 7091 Highway 65, Fridley, MN 55432 763-572-2390 FAX 763-574-2459	HHA, Hmkr., PCA, Vent	yes	yes	313669800/A313669800

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
Provisional Home Health 4110 Maple Hurst Drive South, Rockford, MN 55373 Kristine Carr 763-575-7281, Fax 763-575-7281	SN, Hmkr, HHA			
**Recover Health *Toni Goracke, RN Clinical Sup. 3400 1 st St. N. #305, St. Cloud, MN 56303 320-774-0777 Fax 320-774- 0778 or 320-774-0779 jstocker@recoverhealth.org Main Office 5900 Green Oak Dr., Ste 200 Minnetonka, MN 55343 Janet Fehler or Sharon Strum 952-926-9808 Fax 952-926-4002	PDN, SN, IV Therapy, Wound Care, Med Set Up, HHA, PCA, Hmkr, MH, PT, OT, ST	usually not, may with waiver	yes	South Central (Buffalo) 171745600/146753707 6 Edina 528816900/184129714 0 MEDICA CONTRACT Medicare certified
Ridgeview Home Care & Hospice 501 So. Maple St., Suite #1 Waconia, MN 55387 Sharon Zander 952-442- 6030 Fax 952-4426542 www.ridgeviewmedical.org	SNV, HHA, PT, OT, Speech, Hmkr, Medical Social Services, Nutrition	No	No	NPI# 1104954445 Medicare certified
Ridgeview Home Support Services 125 West Main St., Waconia, MN 55387 Sharon Brahee 952-442- 6032/800-967-4751 Fax 952-442-6034 **Ridgeview Home Medical Equipment 501 So. Maple, Suite #2, Waconia, MN 55387 952-442-2283/800-666-6497 Fax 952-442-2948	Private Pay/fee for service: PDN, HHA, PT, Hmkr, Medical Social Services Equipment for purchase or rent, medical supplies	no, unless private pay	yes with staff vehicle	280497200/ Medicare certified Medical Equipment 2800497200/18210963 48
St. Cloud Hospital/Home Care 48 No. 29 th Ave., St. Cloud, MN 56303 Mary Jo Thometz Thometzm@centracare.com 320-259-9375 Fax 320- 240-3266	SNV, PT, OT, Speech, HHA, Hmkr, Pediatric Nursing, IV Program	no	no	531355400/195235060 5 Medicare certified

Name/Address/Phone	Services Provided	Transportation	Errands	MA/NPI Numbers
Sunshine Home Care Services 800 North Shore Drive, Waverly, MN 55390 Renee Chase 763-658-7045/ cell 763-257-9442 Renee.chase1@gmail.com	Companion, Housekeeping, Shop/Errands, Meals, HHA, Personal Hygiene FOSTER CARE	Yes	Yes	NPI#A143652200

Definition of acronyms used in describing the services provided by these Home Care Agencies:

SNV - SKILLED NURSING VISIT	SPEECH - SPEECH THERAPIST
PCA - PERSONAL CARE ATTENDANT	RT - RESPIRATORY THERAPY
HHA - HOME HEALTH AIDE	PT - PHYSICAL THERAPIST
OT - OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST	PDN - PRIVATE DUTY NURSING
HMKR - HOMEMAKER	

Home Delivered Meals (10/10)

Annandale

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site at Annandale

Box K-30, Cedar Street East, Annandale, MN 55302

CONTACT: Renee Logeais & Roxanne Huff

Phone: (320) 274-3891

Five days per week. Weekend frozen meals available

Will deliver in Annandale City

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Buffalo

Through Lake Ridge Care Center, 310 Lake Boulevard, Buffalo, MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-1434 Ext. 39

FAX: (763) 682-6419

Seven days per week

Will deliver within city limits

Cost: \$3.75

Frozen meals can be obtained at the Buffalo Dining Site

PHONE: (763) 682-6036

Cost: \$3.75 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site, 206 Central Avenue, Buffalo, MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-6036

Five days per week. Weekend frozen meals available

Will deliver in Buffalo city

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Through Buffalo Community Center 206 Central Avenue, Buffalo, MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-6036 Ext. 39

Dining provided at Community Center

Cost: \$3.50 suggested contribution and \$7.00 if not a senior

Will deliver within city limits

Cost: \$3.25 - \$6.50 suggested contribution (if 60 or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

All diners must register

Clearwater

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site, 12115 Rye Street, Apt 101, Becker, MN 55308

PHONE: (763) 261-4466

Depending on where you live determines hot/frozen meals and days of the week availability. Our goal is to get hot meals to as many people as possible.

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Cokato

Through Cokato Manor Inc. Nursing Home, 182 Sunset Avenue, Cokato, MN 55321

PHONE; (320) 286-2158

FAX: (320) 286-2031

Seven days per week

Will deliver within city limits only

Cost: \$6.25

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site, 440 2nd Street North, Cokato, MN 55321

PHONE: (320) 286-2758

Five days per week. Weekend frozen meals available

Will deliver in Cokato city

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Delano

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site, 234 2nd Street North, PO Box 462, Delano, MN 55328

CONTACT: Gail Sinkel

PHONE: (763) 972-0574

FAX: (763) 972-6174

Five days per week, weekend frozen meals available - 2 day notification to register

Will deliver in rural area – 3 mile radius of Delano (longer distances are short term delivery only)

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Hanover

Contact: Joyce Flury at the Crow River Area Senior Center

PHONE: (763) 493-2711

Tuesday – Friday at 12:00 noon by resident volunteers, in town only

Cost: \$3.50

Howard Lake

Through Good Samaritan Society - Howard Lake, 413 13th Avenue, Howard Lake, MN 55349

PHONE: (320) 963-5771

FAX: (320) 543-2305

Six days per week (Monday – Saturday)
Will deliver six miles out of town
Cost: \$5.00

Maple Lake

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site at Maple Manor, 555 2nd Street West, Maple Lake, MN 55358

CONTACT: LuAnne, Coordinator

PHONE: (320) 963-5771

Five days per week, Monday – Friday, weekend frozen meals available

In town only 10:30 – 1:00

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Monticello

Through New River Medical Center, 1013 Hart Boulevard, Monticello, MN 55362

PHONE: (763) 271-2336

FAX: (763) 271-2345

Five days per week, Monday – Friday

Will deliver three miles from hospital

Cost: \$6.50

Frozen meals can be obtained from the Monticello Dining Site

PHONE: (763) 295-2000

Cost \$3.00 (if 60 years or older) \$5.75 if not a senior

Through Catholic Charities Senior Dining Site, 505 Walnut Street, Suite 3, Monticello, MN 55362

Phone: (763) 295-2000

Five days per week, weekend frozen meals available

Will deliver in Monticello city

Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Montrose

Through Red's Café, 221 Nelson Boulevard, PO Box 335, Montrose, MN 55363

PHONE: (763) 675-3511

Five days per week (Monday – Friday)

Primarily Montrose city limits and Waverly city limits

Cost: \$5.00

Otsego

Through Elk River Senior Dining

PHONE: (763) 441-6288

Will deliver if close to Elk River, weekend meals available-frozen

Cost: \$3.25 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

Rockford

Through Delano Area Senior Dining Site, 234 2nd Street North, PO Box 462, Delano, MN 55328

CONTACT: Gail Sinkel

PHONE: (763) 972-0574

Five days per week, weekend frozen meals available, 2 days notice to register
Will deliver n rural area – 3 mile radius (longer distances, short term delivery only)
Cost: Suggested contribution \$3.25 - \$6.50 (if 60 years or older) \$6.50 if not a senior

St. Michael/Albertville

Contact: Joyce Flury at the Crow River Area Senior Center

PHONE: (763) 493-2711

Four days per week (T, W, Th, F)

In town only

Cost: \$3.50

Waverly

Through Red's Café, 221 Nelson Boulevard, PO Box 335, Montrose, MN 55363

PHONE: (763) 675-3511

Five days per week (Monday – Friday)

Primarily Montrose city limits and Waverly city limits

Cost: \$5.00

Homemaker Services (8/11)

See “Health Assessment/Service and Treatment” – Home Health Care Agencies Listing”

Hospice – Wright County (11/11)

Augustana Home Health Agency – Litchfield Area Hospice – 218 North Holcombe, Litchfield MN 55355

PHONE: (320) 693-7367

FAX: (320) 693-7418

SERVICES PROVIDED: Services provided include: nursing, home health aide, homemaker, hospice care with full team support, chore services, respite care, physical therapy and occupational therapy.

Allina Home Care and Hospice – 1055 Westgate Drive, Suite 100, South St. Paul, MN 55114

PHONE: (651) 635-9173

WEBSITE: www.allina.com

SERVICES PROVIDED: Services provided include: nursing, home health aide, chaplaincy, volunteers, pain/symptom management, acute care, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech, social work, respite backup and hospice team. Eligibility: personal need, prescribed by physician, home bound or terminally ill.

Guardian Angels Elim Hospice – 300 Catlin Street, Suite 115, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Sandy Baret

EMAIL: sbaert@gaehc.org

WEBSITE: www.elimcare.org

PHONE: (763) 682-2726

SERVICES PROVIDED: Hospice and home care services

Heartland Home Health Care & Hospice – 605 Franklin Ave., St. Cloud MN 56304-0225

PHONE: (888) 650-1136

WEBSITE: www.hcr.manorcare.com

SERVICES PROVIDED: Hospice and home care services, bereavement program, monthly newsletters, one-on-one grief counseling, support groups, visits and phone calls.

North Memorial Home Health & Hospice – 3500 France Avenue N., Suite 101, Robbinsdale MN 55422

PHONE: (763) 520-5770

WEBSITE: www.northmemorial.com

SERVICES PROVIDED: Nursing and home health aide services, per-visit and hourly services.

Ridgeview Home Care Services – 500 S. Maple St., Waconia MN 55387

PHONE: (952) 442-2191 or Toll Free 1-800-967-4620

WEBSITE: www.ridgeviewmedical.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: Skilled services provided by Medicare, JCAHO certified home care service, including nursing, home health aides, hospice, physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy and social service. Extended hour division provides long hours of care provided by RN, Home Health Aide, Homemaker and Companion. Up to 24 hours per day (three day minimum). Twelve hour sleep-in service available. Ridgeview Response Line: emergency phone program to provide security and independence for clients in their own homes.

St. Cloud Hospital Home Health Care/Hospice – 48 29th Avenue North, Suite 15, St. Cloud MN 56303

PHONE: (320) 259-9375 or Toll Free 1-800-835-6610

WEBSITE: www.centracare.com

Services Provided: RN skilled nursing, 24 hour on-call from RN, home health aide, homemaker, physical therapy, occupational therapy. Volunteer component with hospice program. Services provided within a 35 mile radius of St. Cloud.

Hospitals (11/11)

Buffalo Hospital – 303 Catlin Street, Buffalo MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-1212

WEBSITE: www.buffalohospital.org

New River Medical Center – 1013 Hart Boulevard, Monticello MN 55362

PHONE: (763) 295-2945

WEBSITE: www.newrivermedical.com

Housing (7/11)

<u>ASSISTED LIVING</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>UNITS</u>
Centennial Villa	Annandale	320-274-5031	28
Lake Ridge Manor	Buffalo	763-682-1434	35
Park Terrace Assisted Living & Memory Care	Buffalo	763-951-7859	46
Website: www.elimcare.org			
Sunrise-Buffalo	Buffalo	763-682-5489	69
Website: www.seniorsforliving.com			

Sunrise Cottages (AL, ML)	Buffalo	763-682-9366	48
Brookridge	Cokato	320-286-3196	16
Website: www.cokato-senior-care.org			
Legacy of Delano (AL, ML)	Delano	763-972-2333	53
Legacy of St. Michael (I, AL, ML)	St. Michael	763 497-0171	71
Website: www.twdcc.com/legacystmichael			
St. Benedict Senior Community /			
The Village (I ONLY)	Monticello	763-295-4051	60
The Court (AL)	Monticello	763-295-4051	46
The Court Memory Care (ML)	Monticello	763-295-4051	14
Lighthouse at Waconia	Waconia	952-442-1261	16
Assisted Living Services of Winsted	Winsted	320-485-4271	40

I=Independent Living

AL=Assisted Living

ML=Memory Loss

<u>LOW INCOME HOUSING</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>UNITS</u>
Pheasant Ridge Apts.....	Albertville	763-295-5804	24
Annandale Square Apts.....	Annandale	320-274-5206	32
Buffalo Court (families/children)	Buffalo	763-684-1907	48
Lakeside West & Lakeside East	Buffalo	763-682-2485	37
Maple Dell	Buffalo	952-935-0359	16
Maria Villa	Buffalo	763-512-7720	16
Clearwater Parkview	Clearwater	763-633-1955	18
Clearwater River Apts.	Clearwater	952-935-0359	16
Cokato Park View	Cokato	763-263-1955	24
Golf View Apartments.....	Cokato	320-286-4480	48
Delano FourPlex	Delano	763-232-1256	4
East Riverview Apartments	Delano (Caretakers)	612-685-5032	38
Honeytree Apts III (Bldg 307)	Delano	612-986-7787	25
Howard Lake Apartments	Howard Lake.....	320-274-5871	24
Howard Lake 5-Plex.....	Howard Lake.....	763-232-1256	5
Hillside Terrace I & II #28	Monticello	763-295-5804	48
Ridgemont Apartments.....	Monticello	320-295-3736	48
Ridgeway Apts.....	Monticello	763-295-5081	44
Terrace View Apartments	Monticello	763-263-1955	26
Halter Oaks Apartments.....	Rockford	800-676-6505	24
Rockford 4-Plex	Rockford	763-232-1256	4
Walnut Place Townhomes	Rockford	763-477-4681	30
Waverly 3-Plex (314 Elm Avenue).....	Waverly	763-232-1256	3

<u>SENIOR HOUSING</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>UNITS</u>
Cottages of Albertville.....	Albertville	763-497-0858	44
Centennial Villa (ML)	Annandale	320-274-5031	40
Cottages of Annandale	Annandale	320-274-2818	36
Goldendale Apartments.....	Annandale	320-274-5871	24

Knollwood Square Apartments	Annandale	320-274-5206	17
Oakdale Apartments	Annandale	952 935-0359	18
Autumn Winds Apartments	Big Lake (Sherburne Co.)	763-441-1733 or 1-888-424-1733	25
Barrington Apartments	Buffalo	763-274-2700	20
Website: www.thiestalle.com			
Lake Ridge Manor.....	Buffalo	763-682-6763,ext. 27	39
Lakeside East Apartments	Buffalo	763-682-2485	39
Park Lane Apartments.....	Buffalo	763-682-1131	48
Village Place Apartments	Buffalo	763-682-4128	48
Woodmere Apartments	Buffalo	763-682-3240	54
Cokato Senior Apts I, II, III, IV	Cokato	320-286-2758	83
Edgewood Gables.....	Cokato	320-286-2159	30
Heritage Place (ML).....	Cokato	320 286-2158	10
Crow River Villa	Delano	763-972-2945	30
Delano Commons.....	Delano	763-972-2930	29
Ridge Manor Apts.....	Delano	763-972-2945	16
Heritage Square - Good Sam. Soc. HL	Howard Lake.....	320-543-3331	24
Website: www.good-sam.com			
Howard Lake Apartments	Howard Lake.....	320-274-5871	24
Shoreline Commons	Howard Lake.....	320-543-2663	24
Maple Manor Apts.	Maple Lake	320-963-5283	62
Broadway Square Apts.	Monticello	763-263-1955	28
Cedar Crest Apts.....	Monticello	763-295-4242	38
Mississippi Shores	Monticello	763-295-0787	49
Ridgemont Apartments.....	Monticello	763-295-3736	48
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AL=Assisted Living

ML=Memory Loss

* Units - May not all be subsidized housing

Section 8: Housing/General : 612-370-3000 Rental Only: 320-252-0880

Housing Assistance and Repair (11/11)

Wright County Community Action, Box 787 - Maple Lake MN 55358

PHONE: (320) 963-6500

FAX: (320) 963-5745

WEBSITE: www.wccaweb.com

SERVICES PROVIDED: Repairs and weatherization – Insulation, weather stripping and emergency funds for fuel. (Service is available for low income seniors).

Information Lines (“911, 711, 211”) (7/11)

The “Information Lines” are intended to be easy to remember, no coin method of reaching the right resource.

Dial 9-1-1.....for emergency....to stop a crime.....to report a fire.....to save a life.

An emergency is: Any serious medical problem (chest pain, seizure, bleeding). Any type of fire (business, car, building). Any life threatening situation (fights, person with weapons, etc.) Any crime in progress (Whether or not a life is threatened).

What is 7-1-1.....?

This is a code consolidated for the hearing impaired population. It could be used by hearing people who want to call a person who is deaf.

What is 2-1-1.....?

2-1-1 is the national abbreviated dialing code for free access to health and human services information and referral (I & R). 2-1-1 is an easy to remember and universally recognizable number that makes a critical connection between individuals and families in need of the appropriate community-based organizations and government agencies. 2-1-1 makes it possible for people in need to navigate the complex and ever-growing maze of human services’ agencies and programs. They can help you, your family and friends find: parenting and family opportunities, health care, legal services and more. By making services easier to access, 2-1-1 encourages prevention and foster self-sufficiency. Website: www.unitedwayhelps.org

Information and Referral Services (7/11)

2-1-1 Information Line – See “Information Lines” in this booklet.

Wright County Human Services Agency – Intake – (763) 682-7400 or 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7400

Central Minnesota Council on Aging – See “Central Minnesota Council on Aging” in this booklet.

Senior Centers – See “Senior Centers”

Senior Dining – See “Senior Dining”

Minnesota Board on Aging – See “Minnesota Board on Aging”

Legal and Para-Legal Services (11/11)

St. Cloud Area Legal Services, St. Mary’s Building, 830 West St. Germain, Suite 300, P.O. Box 886, St. Cloud MN 56302

PHONE: (320) 253-0121 or 1-888-360-2889

SERVICES PROVIDED: Wright County is serviced by the St. Cloud Area Legal Aid. Office hours for legal aid at area senior centers are: Monticello (763) 295-2000 and Buffalo (763) 682-6036, every month. Free

legal services are provided for seniors. The Senior Law Project provides legal advice or representation for people age 60 or older for such issues as: Social Security, Medical Assistance and other public benefit programs, Medicare, housing, consumer and nursing home problems. They do NOT handle: living trusts, wills, estate planning or real estate transactions. For more information call: Monticello Senior Center(763) 295-2000 or in Buffalo Senior Center (763) 682-6036. The legal services number for persons with disabilities is: Minnesota Disability Law Center – 1-800-292-4150.

Love INC. (11/11)

Love INC – Big Woods

8 ½ Division Street, P.O. Box 368, Buffalo MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-6820

WEBSITE: www.loveincbigwoods.org

HOURS: Monday and Wednesday – 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., please call for an appointment.

Love INC - Heartland

318 Railroad Avenue, P.O. Box 143, Delano MN 55328

PHONE: (763) 972-6547

WEBSITE: www.loveinheartland.org

HOURS: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday – 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Wednesday – 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Closed Friday, Saturday – 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

MAC/NAPS (Mothers and Children Program/Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors) (1/11)

Second Harvest Heartland

PHONE: (651) 209-7919 or Toll Free 1-800-365-0270

SERVICES PROVIDED: NAPS (Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors) is a free food program for seniors 60 years or older, residents of Minnesota, low income, who meet federal income guidelines. The program provides food such as: fruits, vegetables, juice, milk, cheese, egg mix, meat, dry beans, peanut butter, cereal, rice, instant potatoes and pasta. **You must call to pre-register for the program.**

Distribution takes place every third Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. The distribution address in Wright County is: Maple Manor, 333 2nd St W., Maple Lake MN.

Medicaid (11/11)

Medicaid is a federally aided state administered program for certain categories of low income persons. For more information, contact: Wright County Human Services Agency – (763) 682-7414 or -1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7414. WEBSITE: www.co.wright.mn.us

Medical Alert Systems (11/11)

Help a senior or disabled person remain safe and secure in their own home. These emergency response systems help make it easy to access emergency help when people are alone or ill in their home. For more information, contact: Lifeline – St. Cloud Hospital, (320) 255-5700. Website for St. Cloud Hospital

is: www.centracare.com. Contact Wright Hennepin Electric – Rockford at (763) 477-3000 or Toll Free at 1-800-943-2667. Website for Wright Hennepin is: www.whe.org

Medicare (1/11)

Social Security Administration – 3800 Veteran’s Drive, Suite 100, St. Cloud MN 56303

PHONE: (877) 405-1446 or Toll Free 1-800-772-1213

WEBSITE: www.medicare.gov

SERVICES PROVIDED: Medicare is a nationwide health insurance program run by the Social Security Administration for people 65 and older, disabled under 65 who have been entitled to Social Security disability benefits for 24 or more consecutive months and people served under Social Security or the railroad retirement system who need dialysis treatments or kidney transplant because of permanent kidney failure. For more information, contact district office at number above.

Minnesota Board on Aging (11/11)

P.O. Box 64976, St. Paul, MN 55164-0976

PHONE: (651) 431-2500 or Toll Free 1-800-882-6262

FAX: (651) 431-7453

EMAIL: mba@state.mn.us

WEBSITE: www.mnaging.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: The Minnesota Board on Aging serves older Minnesotans by developing and coordinating a variety of aging programs. For more information, call the number above or call the Senior LinkAge Line at 1-800-333-2433.

Nursing Homes (11/11)

Nursing Home	Location	Phone	Beds
Annandale Care Center Website: www.ahcsmn.org	Annandale	(320) 274-3737	60
Lake Ridge Care Center Website: www.elimcare.org	Buffalo	(763) 682-1434	65
Park View Care Center Website: www.elimcare.org	Buffalo	(763) 682-1131	124
Cokato Manor Website: www.cokato-senior-care.org	Cokato	(320) 286-2158	66
Golden Living Center –Delano Website: www.goldenlivingcenters.com	Delano	(763) 972-2987	64
Good Samaritan Society-Howard Lake Website: www.good-sam.com	Howard Lake	(320) 543-3800	38
New River Medical Center – Rehab & Extended Care Website: www.newrivermedical.com	Monticello	(763) 271-2333	89

Office of Ombudsman for Older Minnesotans – MN Board on Aging (11/11)

CONTACT: James Tausch – Wright County Regional Contact, Office of Ombudsman for Older Minnesotans
Anoka Metro RTC – 3301 7th Avenue N., Anoka MN 55303
PHONE: (651) 431-5201 or Toll Free 1-800-657-3591
EMAIL: James.E.Tausch@state.mn.us
WEBSITE: www.ombudmhm.state.mn.us/

SERVICES PROVIDED: Ombudsman, acute care and long term care and home care. Ombudsman: 1) Investigates complaints/concerns from health care consumers; 2) mediates disputes; 3) advocates for consumers; 4) provides information; 5) advocates reform.

Pre-Admission Screening (7/11)

Wright County Human Services Agency – 1004 Commercial Drive, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Sheri Jorgensen

PHONE: (763) 682-7468 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7468

EMAIL: Sheri.Jorgensen@co.wright.mn.us

SERVICES PROVIDED: Minnesota statutes require that all persons considering entering a nursing home be screened by a public health nurse/social worker team. Alternative services which may enable them to remain in their homes will be explored, and grant money is available to cover the cost of these services in most instances. For more information, contact number above.

Project Lifesaver (7/11)

Wright County Human Services Agency – 1004 Commercial Drive, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Pam Johnson

PHONE: (763) 682-7875 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7875

EMAIL: Pam.Johnson@co.wright.mn.us

SERVICES PROVIDED: Project Lifesaver uses state-of-the-art technology to rapidly locate lost children and adults dealing with Autism, Alzheimer’s Disease, and other disorders. Participants wear a personalized watch-sized transmitter, either on the wrist or ankle. The band emits a tracking signal and is worn at all times. In the event the person becomes lost, Wright County Sheriff’s Office is notified and a search and rescue team responds. To apply for Project Lifesaver, call number listed above. The cost of the bracelet for the first year is \$300.00 (includes leased bracelet, batteries, wrist bands and other necessary supplies), after the first year, the cost is \$105.00 a year. Scholarships are available for families who cannot afford the program.

Recreation and Social Activities (11/11)

All Senior Dining Sites – offer a variety of social activities, either before or after dinner. For more information, see “Senior Dining”.

Local Church – Churches offer a wide range of social and recreational opportunities for their members.

Federal Parks – Federal parks offer a “Golden Age” pass, which is a lifetime entrance permit. The Golden Age Passport is a \$10 one-time fee to citizens and permanent residents of the United States who

are 62 years of age or older. This passport is available at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, BHW Federal Bldg, 1 Federal Drive, Fort Snelling, MN 55111-4056. PHONE: (612) 713-5360. You can write to obtain this passport and show proof of age (recommend picture ID with birthdate such as a driver's license). For state stickers, the nearest park is Lake Maria – (763) 878-2325 near Monticello.

Fishing License – For more information, call Minnesota Natural Resources at (651) 296-6157. WEBSITE: www.dnr.state.mn.us

Small Game Hunting License – For more information, call Minnesota Natural Resources at (651) 296-6157. WEBSITE: www.dnr.state.mn.us

County Fair – The Wright County Fair is located in Howard Lake MN. This fair is for all ages. The Fair Board has made Friday “Senior Day” at the fair with activities and programs geared towards seniors that are age 65 and up. You can visit their web site at www.wrightcountyfair.com for more details. If you need to speak to someone about fair activities, call Dennis Beise, Secretary at (763) 972-2880.

State Fair – Persons age 65 and older are admitted to the State Fair at minimal charge two days out of the fair’s twelve days. WEBSITE: www.mnstatefair.org

State Parks – Annual vehicle permits are available for Minnesota state parks for state residents age 65 and older. One day permits are also available. On Sundays through Thursday, state park camping is half-price, but Friday, Saturday and holidays, senior citizens must pay full price. There are no discounts for electricity or wood at campgrounds. Contact the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) at 1-888-646-6367 or (651) 296-6157 for current information and rates. WEBSITE: www.dnr.state.mn.us

Let’s Go Fishing –Buffalo Area Chapter - Free fishing and boating excursions for individuals 55 and older. We serve individuals, groups, churches, senior centers, clubs, assisted living communities, nursing homes, hospice patients and veterans. To schedule an outing, contact Let’s Go Fishing, Buffalo Area Chapter at (763) 682-6036 or on the web www.lgfws.com.

Senior Centers/Clubs (11/11)

Senior Center/Club	Contact	Phone
Albertville	Beatrice Praught	(763) 497-2169
Annandale	Senior Center	(320) 274-3891
Buffalo	Eric Nagel	(763) 682-6036
Cokato	Viola Larson	(320) 286-5662
Delano	Gail Sinkel	(763) 972-0574
Hanover	Elizabeth Loeffler	(763) 241-0094
Howard Lake.....	Millie Molnau	(320) 543-3319
Maple Lake	Zita Manuel	(320) 963-3936
Monticello	Pam Loidolt	(763) 295-2000
Montrose.....	Norma Lewis	(763) 675-3186

Rockford Lenora Lantz (763) 477-6745
 Rockford Township Eva Ordorff (763) 682-2346
 St. Michael..... Joyce Flury (763) 493-2711
 Waverly Anna Hohag (763) 658-4379

Senior Citizen ID Card (11/11)

You can acquire an official identification card from your local driver’s license examination station if you are age 65 or older. The card looks like your driver’s license, but at the top in green it says “Senior Identification”. The card can be purchased for \$10.75 plus proof of age (certified birth certificate, baptismal certificate, etc. and two forms of identification). For more information, call Wright County Licensing Division at (763) 682-7596.

Senior Companion Program (7/11)

PHONE: (763) 682-7504 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7504.
 STATE WEBSITE: www.mnseniorcorps.org
 SERVICES PROVIDED: This program employs persons age 60 and up for 15-20 hours per week. Participants visit elderly seniors who are confined to their homes and the participants are paid a stipend for meals and transportation. For more information, contact at the above number.

Senior Dining (11/11)

Catholic Charities - Nutrition Centers Program, 157 Roosevelt Road, Suite 200, St Cloud MN 56301
 CONTACT: Ruth Hunstiger
 PHONE: (320) 229-4584
 WEBSITE: www.ccstcloud.org/SeniorDining/index.html
 SERVICES PROVIDED: Well balanced, nutritious meals are served at the following sites five days per week.

Please call One day in advance for a Reservation - 9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

<u>Center</u>	<u>Location/Contact</u>	<u>Phone</u>
Annandale Nutrition Center.....	Senior Center/Deb or Roxanne	(320) 274-3891
Buffalo Nutrition Center	Community Center/Eric Nagel	(763) 682-6036
Cokato Nutrition Center.....	Cokato Apartments/Diana	(320) 286-2758
Delano Nutrition Center.....	Delano Senior Center/Gail Sinkel.....	(763) 972-0574
Maple Lake Nutrition Center	Maple Manor West/Luanne Grant.....	(320) 963-5771
Monticello Nutrition Center.....	Monticello Senior Center/Pam Loidolt	(763) 295-2000
*Big Lake Nutrition Center	Keller Lake Commons.....	(763) 263-0058
*Elk River Nutrition Center	350 Evans Ave. NW, Elk River MN.....	(763) 441-6288
*Kimball Nutrition Center	St. Anne’s School Cafeteria	(763) 398-2211

*=Nutrition Center – located out of county

Senior LinkAge (11/11)

Central MN Council on Aging – 1301 W. St. Germain, Suite 101, St. Cloud MN 56301

PHONE: (320) 253-9349 or Toll Free 1-800-333-2433

WEBSITE: www.cmcoa.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: Senior LinkAge is a state-wide phone link to help seniors, families and friends find answers and services for older people.

Buffalo Senior LinkAge Site - Located at Park Terrace Assisted Living, 613 Montrose Blvd., Buffalo MN 55313.

Buffalo site is open the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Call the number above to schedule an appointment at the Buffalo site.

Social Security (11/11)

Social Security Administration - 3800 Veteran's Drive, Suite 100, St. Cloud MN. 56303

PHONE: (320) 253-4490 or Toll Free 1-800-772-1213

WEBSITE: www.ssa.gov

SERVICES PROVIDED: This is a special program created by the federal government. Most individuals during their work years contribute to this fund. You may receive this money in monthly checks if you are retired, disabled, a widower (over age 60) or a dependent of a deceased person entitled to social security benefits. For more information, call the number above.

State Services for the Blind (11/11)

State Services for the Blind – St. Cloud Office – 1542 Northway Drive, #2, St. Cloud MN 56303

PHONE: (320) 308-4800 or Toll Free 1-800-366-5420

FAX: (320) 308-4801

WEBSITE: www.mnssb.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: This is a state organization which helps visually impaired people. Teaching is also part of their service as well as providing adaptive devices such as, radios, watches and large print books.

Support Groups (11/11)

Alzheimer's Support Group - Faith in Action – Sherburne County – 13074 Edgewood St., Becker MN 55308

PHONE: (763) 263-4277

WEBSITE: www.gra-fia.com

ELIGIBILITY: Those who have family members with the disease or those who provide care for people with Alzheimer's Disease or other memory loss disorders.

SERVICES PROVIDED: Information on Alzheimer's Disease, practical care techniques and community resources as well as an opportunity to discuss experiences. Call above number for dates and times.

Alzheimer's and Memory Loss Support Group - Meeker County Memorial Hospital, 612 Sibley Ave So., Litchfield MN 55355

PHONE: (320) 693-4573

WEBSITE: www.mcmh-litchfield.org

HOURS: 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

SERVICES PROVIDED: Join us for an opportunity to learn and share with others who are living with this condition. Our group support and patient education format are designed to provide tools and ideas for coping with memory loss. Caregivers and families are welcome. Meetings are held at the Meeker County Memorial Hospital.

Memory Loss Family Support Group – Centennial Villa Assisted Living, 600 Park St. E., Annandale MN 55302

CONTACT: Molly

PHONE: (320) 274-2591

HOURS: 3rd Thursday of the month – 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Asthma Support Group – The American Lung Association of MN – 490 Concordia Ave., St. Paul MN 55103

PHONE: (651) 227-8014 or Toll Free 1-800-642-5864

WEBSITE: www.lungmn.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: Accommodates adults with asthma

Cancer Support Group – New River Medical Center, Conference Room, 1013 Hart Blvd., Monticello, MN 55362

CONTACT: Joni Hogan

PHONE: (763) 271-2388

SERVICES PROVIDED: The group meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 7:00 p.m - 8:30 p.m. at the New River Medical Center - Conference Room C.

Cancer Prescription of Wright County

PHONE: (763) 684-1477 or Toll Free: 1-800-435-9786

WEBSITE: www.chfwc.org

Caregiver Support Group – Great River Area - Faith in Action

PHONE: (763) 263-4277

SERVICES PROVIDED: This time is just for you, the “Caregiver”. It will be a support group for you, and educational program and coffee time, all rolled into one.

Crisis Number – Wright County Human Services Agency

PHONE: (763) 682-7400 or Toll Free -1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7400 (Business Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.)

PHONE: 1-800-635-8008 (After 4:30 p.m., weekends and holidays)

HOURS: 24 hour telephone assistance

SERVICES PROVIDED: Phones answered by trained personnel who will assist individuals who are undergoing a significant life crisis.

State Information on Cancer

PHONE: 1-800-227-2345

WEBSITE: www.cancer.org

Parkinson’s Support Group – Monticello Senior Center, 505 Walnut Street, Monticello MN 55362

CONTACT: Heidi Olson
PHONE: (763) 263-3399

SERVICES PROVIDED: This group is for people who have Parkinson’s Disease (PD) and their care partners, which could include spouses, siblings, children or friends. This group meets the 1st Tuesday of the month from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Monticello Grief Group – Monticello Senior Center, 505 Walnut Street, Monticello MN 55362

CONTACT: Heidi Olson
PHONE: (763) 263-4277

HOURS: This group meets the 1st Wednesday of the month from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

SERVICES PROVIDED: This group provides opportunity to learn more about the stages of grief and offer time to share with others who have had similar experiences.

Stroke Support Group – Buffalo Hospital, 303 Catlin Street, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Penny Bartzén
PHONE: (763) 684-3855

HOURS: This group meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Victim Assistance Program – Wright County Attorney’s Office, 10 2nd Street NW, Room 400, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Jenny Paripovich, Coordinator

PHONE: (763) 682-7349

ELIGIBILITY: Victims of crimes prosecuted by the Wright County Attorney’s Office

HOURS: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

SERVICES PROVIDED: Provides guidance through the legal system and referrals if needed.

Telephone Program/Equipment (11/11)

Telephone Equipment Distribution (TED) Program

PHONE: 1-800-657-3663 or 1-888-206-6555 TTY/TDD

FAX: (651) 431-7587

EMAIL: ted.program@state.mn.us

WEBSITE: www.tedprogram.org

SERVICES PROVIDED: This program loans phone equipment to people who are hard of hearing, deaf or who have a speech or mobility impairment. Some equipment available includes: phones that amplify and clarify voices, devices that help you know when the telephone rings, TTY/TDD’s, speaker phones, special equipment for people who are deaf or blind.

Telephone Bill Assistance - Could you use help in lowering your local telephone bill? For more information and/or to obtain an application, contact your local phone company.

Toll Free Numbers (11/11)

Arthritis Foundation.....	1-800-333-1380.....	www.arthritis.org
Cancer Line.....	1-800-422-6237.....	www.cancer.org
Consumer Product Safety Commission.....	1-800-638-2772.....	www.cpsc.gov

Minnesota Center for Crime Victims Services	1-888-622-8799	
United Way 2-1-1 (Formerly First Call for Help)	1-800-543-7709.....	www.211unitedway.org
Gambling Addiction	1-888-424-3577.....	www.gamblersanonymous.org
Legal and Para-Legal Services	1-800-622-7773	
Medicare Minnesota Office	1-800-772-1213.....	www.medicare.org
Minnesota Board on Aging.....	1-800-882-6262.....	www.mnaging.org
MN Multiple Sclerosis Society.....	1-800-582-5296.....	www.mssociety.org
Social Security	1-800-772-1213.....	www.ssa.gov
Suicide Crisis Hotline	1-800-273-8255.....	www.save.org
IRS - Tax Information.....	1-800-829-1040.....	www.irs.gov
Welfare Fraud Hotline.....	1-800-627-9977	
Wright County Human Services Agency.....	1-800-362-3667.....	www.co.wright.mn.us

For additional toll-free numbers – Dial “211”

Transportation (7/11)

Wright County Human Services Agency – 1004 Commercial Drive, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Kathy DeMars, Transportation Coordinator

PHONE: (763) 682-7487 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7487

EMAIL: Kathy.DeMars@co.wright.mn.us

WEBSITE: www.co.wright.mn.us

SERVICES PROVIDED: Wright County Human Services provides transportation in Wright County for senior citizens for the purpose of medical appointments and trips to pharmacies. **To schedule a ride, contact Terri Aarvig at (763) 684-2343.**

Health Care Access/MA Transportation – Wright County Human Services, 1004 Commercial Drive, Buffalo MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-7400

WEBSITE: www.co.wright.mn.us – Click on “Health, Financial and Social Services”, “Financial Services”, and “Health Care Access/MA Transportation”.

SERVICES PROVIDED: Wright County has a Health Care Access Plan which ensures that Medical Assistance recipients have access to medical appointments. To learn more about the Health Care Access services and whether or not you are eligible to receive reimbursement, contact the number listed above.

NOTE: If you are on Medical Assistance (MA) and you are part of a Managed Health Plan, you should call the health plan for assistance with transportation.

RiverRider Public Transit

PHONE: (763) 263-0101 or Toll Free 1-800-821-9719

SERVICES PROVIDED: RiverRider serves the communities of Annandale, Buffalo, Cokato, Delano, Monticello and Otsego. This public transportation is available to everyone for any reason. Call above number to schedule a ride.

Medi-Van Special Transportation Services – 1502 Willard Avenue, P.O. Box 1053/1052, Detroit Lakes MN 56502

PHONE: 1-800-422-0976

SERVICES PROVIDED: Medi-Van Transportation Services provides 24 hour service to: anyone, statewide service, family or friend may accompany client free of charge, Medical Assistance and Medicaid Provider, **Base rate** ambulatory and wheelchair: each way, Stretcher: Attendant charge plus per loaded mile.

Other Available Transportation

Allina – Active Ride.....1-651-222-0555

Clinic Cab1-800-962-3705

Care Cab1-800-450-4227

Schumacher.....1-866-968-9939

Veteran’s Benefits (11/11)

Wright County Veteran’s Services, Government Center, 10 NW 2nd Street, Buffalo MN 55313

CONTACT: Genell Reese

PHONE: (763) 682-7325 or Toll Free -1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7325

EMAIL: Genelle.Reese@co.wright.mn.us

SERVICES PROVIDED: Wartime veterans discharged under other than dishonorable conditions who are permanently or totally disabled for reasons not traceable to service, may be eligible to receive a pension. Eligibility for a pension is determined by income and disability. For more information, contact number above.

Volunteer Opportunities (11/11)

Wright County Human Services Agency – 1004 Commercial Drive, Buffalo MN 55313

PHONE: (763) 682-7400 or Toll Free 1-800-362-3667, Ext. 7400

WEBSITE: www.co.wright.mn.us (Click on “Health, Financial and Social Services”, go to “Most Requested Forms”).

There is not one agency that matches volunteers with a need; however, Wright County Human Services Agency has a listing of “Volunteer Opportunities in Wright County”. Contact above to request a copy of the booklet or go online. All agencies listed in this booklet do their own recruitment and orientation for their volunteer programs.

Wright County Commissioners (11/11)

District 1 Covers townships of Chatham , Clearwater, Corinna, Maple Lake , Silver Creek and cities of Annandale, Buffalo #1, Buffalo #2, and Clearwater.

Rose Thelen
15510 Huber Avenue NW, Clearwater MN 55320

PHONE: (320) 558-4535 (home) or (763) 682-7697 (office)

District 2 Covers townships of Monticello and cities of Dayton (part) , Monticello and Otsego

Pat Sawatzke
P.O. Box 734, Monticello MN 55362
PHONE: (763) 295-3311 (home) or (763) 682-7687 (office)

District 3 Covers townships of Franklin, Rockford and Woodland and cities of Buffalo #3, Delano, Rockford (part) and Waverly

John Russek
3995 100th St SE., Delano MN 55328
PHONE: (763) 972-2396 (home) or (763) 682-7686 (office)

District 4 Covers townships of Buffalo and cities of Albertville, Buffalo #4, Hanover (part), St. Michael 1A and St. Michael 1B

Elmer Eichelberg
301 South Main, P.O. Box 285, St. Michael MN 55376
PHONE: (763) 497-2144 (home) or (763) 682-7696 (office)

District 5 Covers townships of Albion, Cokato, French Lake, Marysville, Middleville, Southside, Stockholm and Victor and cities of Cokato, Howard Lake, Maple Lake, Montrose and South Haven

Richard "Dick" Mattson
842 20th St SW, Buffalo MN 55313
PHONE (763) 682-3163 (home) or (763) 682-7685 (office)

Wright County Community Action (11/11)

130 West Division St., P.O. Box 787, Maple Lake MN 55358
PHONE: (320) 963-6500
WEBSITE: www.wccaweb.com

Wright County Community Action can provide help with energy assistance and home weatherization. Energy assistance helps income eligible households meet part of the cost of home heating energy. Home weatherization reduces fuel and energy costs for limited income households. Contact at above number for more information/eligibility.

**THE FOLLOWING RESOURCE BOOKLETS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE
THROUGH
WRIGHT COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES:**

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